

2003 Health and Preventative Practices Status Report

from Missouri County-level Study



Miller County**

	County Prevalence (%)*	Central Region Prevalence (%)*	State Prevalence (%)*
G eneral			
Health Status (Fair or Poor)	16.5	18.6	16.9
No Health Coverage	22.6 H	13.2	12.8
B ehavioral Risk Factors			
Physical Inactivity	26.6	24.1	24.0
Current Smoker	33.3	28.3	26.4
Overweight (BMI 25-29.9)	33.1	36.6	35.3
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	26.5	23.6	23.4
D isease and Conditions			
High Blood Pressure	25.5	27.7	28.9
High Cholesterol (35 years or older)	38.3	36.0	37.1
Asthma	8.7	10.9	10.8
Diabetes	5.1	7.4	7.2
Activity Limitation	16.3	19.5	17.9
C ancer Screening			
Women			
Never had a Mammogram	20.6	12.9	13.4
No Mammogram or Clinical Breast Exam in Last Year:			
40-49 years of age	40.9	46.3	49.4
50-64 years of age	30.5	31.2	35.9
65 and older	59.4	54.3	47.4
Never had a Pap Test:			
18-69 years of age	2.4	3.0	5.1
70 and older	20.6	8.8	6.4
No Pap Test in Last Year (18-29)	21.9	20.2	25.8
No Pap Test in Last 3 Years (30-69)	14.8	12.5	13.8
Men and Women 50 Years or Older			
Blood Stool Test:			
Never had a Blood Stool Test	60.4	59.9	57.0
No Blood Stool Test in Last Year	79.9	82.4	77.5
Sigmoidoscopy/Colonoscopy			
Never had a Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy	54.3	50.3	49.2
No Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy in Past Five Years	64.5	60.4	57.0

*Prevalence rates are age adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population

■ indicates that the prevalence rate is not significantly above or below state prevalence

H indicates that the prevalence rate is significantly above the state prevalence

L indicates that the prevalence rate is significantly below the state prevalence

Unless otherwise noted respondents are 18 years of age or older

** The best indicators for Miller county were obtained by combining data from Miller and Camden counties.